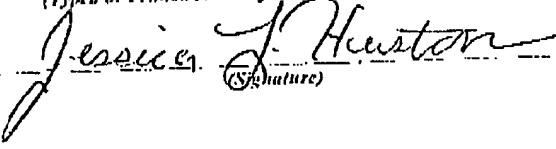


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In response to the Office Action mailed December 5, 2005, and in accordance with the provisions under 37 CFR § 1.115 and 1.143, the Applicants submit the following election for further prosecution on the merits:

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Election:

Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, Species 1, directed to the embodiment of Figure 3. Species 1, as defined by the Examiner, includes claims 1-4 and 10-12.